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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECOVERING A PURE  
SUBSTANCE FROM AN IMPURE SOLUTION BY CRYSTALLIZATION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of April 21, 2006 for one month to August 21, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

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